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U.S. MARSHALS NAB CHICAGO HOMICIDE SUSPECT IN EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLINOIS

Quick, cooperative policework by Deputy U.S. Marshals led to the late afternoon arrest of Keith White, an extremely dangerous murder suspect,? says U.S. Marshal Kim Widup, Northern District of Illinois. The arrest was made in East St. Louis, IL. White was sought in connection with the first degree murder of Aramein Brown, of Chicago.

White was tracked by U.S. Marshals to East St. Louis, IL through various investigative techniques. The Violent Crimes Task Force in East St. Louis, IL was provided with information that White was staying with a girlfriend, Anastasia Smith, at a hotel in the area. Smith is an Illinois State Parole Agent. The two were arrested without incident. However, they were found in possession of crack cocaine and approximately \$3200.00 in U.S. Currency.

White has been a fugitive for the past 1? months. White will be transported back to the Northern District of Illinois where he will face these charges. Smith was charged with obstruction of justice and possession of a controlled substance.

The U.S. Marshals Service Northern Illinois Violent Fugitive Task Force was asked to assist in this investigation as part of on-going relationship with the Chicago Police Department. The U.S. Marshals Service arrests over 65,000 individuals nationally per year.